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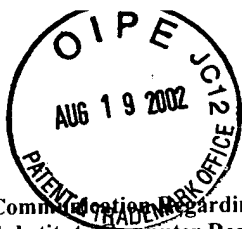
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In compliance with said Notice, enclosed is a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing," as the original CRF was damaged, as indicated on the attached CRF Problem Report.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821, it is respectfully submitted that the information recorded on the substitute CRF copy is identical to that of the CRF copy and the written sequence listing originally filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 31, 2001. The substitute CRF copy of the sequence listing does not contain new matter.



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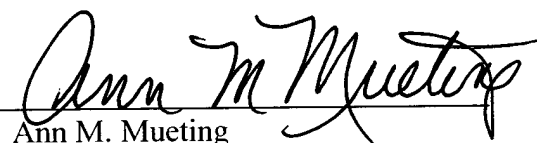


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- The computer readable form that has been filed with this application has been found to be damaged and/or unreadable as indicated on the attached CRF Diskette Problem Report. A substitute computer readable form must be submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.825(d). Applicant must provide a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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